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Action Categories to Restore Bay-Delta System Habitats															1	1	1	5	5	7	3.84	12	8
Restoration of Bay-Delta System Shallow Water (Tidal) Habitat															6	3	4	2	1	4	2.93	4	16
Actions: -Convert existing leveed lands to tidal action															4	1	1	4	5	5	3.75	7	13
-Protect existing shallow habitat from erosion															4	1	5	2	3	5	3.38	5	15
-Restore tidal action to existing diked wetlands															6	2	0	4	2	6	3.71	6	14
-Reconstruct levees to include shallow water habitat															9	5	3	0	2	1	2.18	1	19
-Fill deep water to produce shallow habitat															2	0	3	3	4	8	3.94	10	10
Restoration of Bay-Delta System Riverine Habitat															5	2	3	0	2	8	3.73	8	12
Actions: -Reconstruct river banks and shallow areas															5	1	1	3	4	6	3.87	5	15
-Restore and preserve channel islands															4	2	5	1	2	6	3.31	4	16
-Restore natural channel configurations															5	0	1	1	6	7	4.27	5	15
-Modify channel/levee construction practices to include riverine elements															2	0	2	5	4	7	3.89	9	11
Restoration of Bay-Delta System Riparian Habitat															6	0	1	2	4	7	4.21	6	14
Actions: -Improve and protect degraded riparian habitats															8	1	4	2	2	3	3.17	3	17
-Establish new areas of riparian habitat															6	2	3	2	1	6	3.43	5	15
-Reestablish historic riparian areas															8	0	2	2	4	4	3.83	3	17
-Modify levee maintenance practices															5	0	0	0	6	9	4.60	9	11
-Protect existing riparian habitat															1	1	1	5	6	6	3.79	10	10
Restoration of Bay-Delta System Wetland Habitat															6	1	0	3	5	5	3.93	5	15
Actions: -Restore, enhance, and create wetlands															6	2	1	4	2	5	3.50	5	15
-Expand wetland acquisition programs															8	2	3	4	0	3	2.92	3	17
-Convert agricultural lands to wetlands															6	0	0	3	4	7	4.29	9	11
-Protect existing wetland habitat															2	1	4	6	2	5	3.33	8	12
Restoration of Bay-Delta System Terrestrial Habitat															6	1	1	5	3	4	3.57	7	13
Actions: -Protect existing upland habitat															7	0	5	4	0	4	3.23	3	17
-Establish upland habitat on levees															7	2	5	1	2	3	2.92	2	18
-Establish upland habitat on fallowed croplands															7	1	4	4	0	4	3.15	3	17
-Establish oak woodlands on suitable soils															6	1	2	2	3	6	3.79	2	18
-Encourage wildlife-friendly agricultural practices															9	0	1	3	3	4	3.91	2	18
-Preserve agricultural land uses providing habitat															7	0	1	3	5	4	3.92	3	17
-Clean up sites contaminated with toxic substances															3	1	0	4	3	9	4.12	12	8
Implementation of Integrated Habitat Management Programs															6	1	1	2	2	8	4.07	6	14
Actions: -Establish regional ecosystem restoration guidelines															6	1	0	3	3	7	4.07	3	17
-Implement integrated regional habitat management															6	1	0	2	4	7	4.14	6	14
-Develop cooperative management agreements															5	4	3	3	2	3	2.80	2	18
-Establish mitigation banking program															3	2	3	1	2	9	3.76	10	10
Establishment of Floodways and Meander Belts															8	1	2	0	1	8	4.08	8	12
Actions: -Relocate levees to widen floodways															7	3	1	2	2	5	3.38	3	17
-Allow river channels to meander															9	1	3	2	3	2	3.18	1	19
-Acquire Delta islands as overflow areas															7	1	3	2	3	4	3.46	3	17
-Restore floodways as habitat corridors															2	0	0	1	8	9	4.44	14	6
Control of Introduced Species															5	0	0	2	6	7	4.33	7	13
Actions: -Remove or reduce nuisance species in key habitats															5	0	0	0	5	10	4.67	7	13
-Improve regulation of ballast-water releases															7	0	0	4	7	2	3.85	3	17
-Improve border inspection practices															5	0	0	2	7	6	4.27	2	18
-Inspect for invasions of nuisance species															8	0	0	7	4	1	3.50	2	18
-Modify habitat to favor native species															2	0	2	6	8	2	3.56	6	14
Delta Waterfowl Habitat Management																							

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Rank:													YES	NO
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-Enlarge export pumping capacities													0	20
-Increase diversion capability at Red Bluff Diversion Dam													0	20
Acquisition of Long-Term Water Supplies for Fish and Wildlife													10	10
Actions: -Acquire water to augment instream flows													7	13
-Obtain shifts in timing of instream flows													3	17
-Obtain shifts in diversion timing patterns													3	17
-Acquire water for refuge habitat use													5	15
-Modify water law to establish instream rights													3	17
Installation and Improvement of Fish Screens													11	9
Actions: -Improve screens at Delta export pumps													3	17
-Improve other existing fish screen systems													4	16
-Install screens on other in-Delta diversions													7	13
-Install screens on upstream diversions													6	14
-Consolidate and screen existing small diversions													3	17
-Enforce screening requirements													6	14
Improvement of Bay-Delta System Fish Migration													11	9
Actions: -Install barriers to block fish movement into Old River													4	16
-Install barriers to keep fish in Sacramento River													3	17
-Install barriers to divert fish from Sacramento River to western distributaries													1	19
-Operate fish barrier on San Joaquin River at Merced River confluence in fall													3	17
-Provide instream pulse flows for fish passage													5	15
-Provide instream flows for fish attraction													4	16
Improvement of Fish Salvage Operations													3	17
Actions: -Improve design of salvage facilities													2	18
-Improve operation of salvage facilities													1	19
-Improve fish hauling and release procedures													1	19
Removal and Control of Aquatic Predators													4	16
Actions: -Harvest predators at Delta export pumps													2	18
-Harvest predators in upstream habitats													2	18
Action Categories to Manage the Enhancement of Anadromous Fish Populations														
Fish Hatchery Operations													2	18
Actions: -Expand hatchery capacities													1	19
-Construct new hatcheries on the San Joaquin River													1	19
-Improve hatchery operations													5	15
-Reduce hatchery effects on wild fish populations													5	15
-Implement tagging of hatchery-bred fish													2	18
-Establish new captive breeding programs													1	19
Fish Harvest Management													7	13
Actions: -Improve regulation of commercial take													5	15
-Improve regulation of recreational take													2	18
-Improve enforcement of harvest regulations													2	18
Action Categories for Reducing Reliance on Delta Exports														
Desalination													2	18
Actions: -Expand desalination of Southern California supplies													1	19
-Expand desalination of San Joaquin Valley supplies													2	18
-Improve desalination technologies and cost													2	18
-Educate users about desalination feasibility													2	18
Water Conservation													14	6

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Rank:	0	1	2	3	4	5	Average	YES	NO			
Actions: -Increase use of district-wide conservation practices	3	0	0	4	5	8	4.24	6	14			
-Increase use of on-farm conservation practices	3	0	3	2	2	10	4.12	7	13			
-Increase use of municipal conservation practices	3	0	2	3	1	11	4.24	7	13			
-Increase use of industrial conservation practices	3	0	2	2	3	10	4.24	7	13			
-Implement financial incentive policies	3	0	2	2	4	9	4.18	8	12			
-Implement conservation-oriented rate structures	3	1	1	3	4	8	4.00	7	13			
-Educate users about conservation technologies	3	0	2	2	0	13	4.41	6	14			
Water Reclamation	3	0	0	2	6	9	4.41	11	9			
Actions: -Recharge groundwater with reclaimed water	3	0	0	6	2	9	4.18	3	17			
-Use reclaimed water for agricultural irrigation	3	0	3	3	1	10	4.06	4	16			
-Reclaim saline agricultural drainage water	4	1	3	4	2	6	3.56	2	18			
-Recycle and treat water for potable reuse	3	0	2	8	5	2	3.41	2	18			
-Use reclaimed water for nonpotable urban uses	3	0	0	4	3	10	4.35	7	13			
-Use reclaimed water for landscape irrigation	3	0	0	4	4	9	4.29	6	14			
-Use reclaimed water for power plant cooling	3	0	0	3	4	10	4.41	6	14			
-Use reclaimed water for industrial processes	3	0	0	3	4	10	4.41	6	14			
-Use reclaimed water to repel salinity intrusion	3	0	0	7	4	6	3.94	2	18			
-Improve reclamation technologies and cost	3	0	1	3	3	10	4.29	8	12			
-Educate public about water reclamation	3	0	3	0	4	10	4.24	5	15			
Land Retirement and Fallowing	2	1	4	1	5	7	3.72	9	11			
Actions: -Encourage land fallowing during drought periods	4	2	2	1	3	8	3.81	6	14			
-Develop incentive programs for land retirement	4	1	2	3	2	8	3.88	4	16			
-Purchase lands or easements	4	1	4	2	3	6	3.56	5	15			
-Retire lands with drainage problems	4	1	1	3	3	8	4.00	8	12			
Water Pricing	2	1	4	1	3	9	3.83	10	10			
Actions: -Establish incentives for pricing to reduce demand	3	1	4	2	4	6	3.59	5	15			
-Educate users about pricing feasibility	3	1	4	2	3	7	3.65	3	17			
-Remove legal obstacles to pricing incentive programs	3	1	4	2	2	8	3.71	4	16			
Action Categories to Enhance Water Supplies	4	0	1	2	6	7	4.19	12	8			
Watershed Management	5	2	3	4	2	4	3.20	3	17			
Actions: -Manage vegetation cover to increase yield	3	0	2	2	6	7	4.06	9	11			
-Manage riparian zones to protect water quality	4	0	1	3	4	8	4.19	5	15			
-Manage land uses to reduce sedimentation	3	13	3	0	0	1	1.41	0	20			
-Modify weather to increase precipitation	4	6	2	0	5	3	2.81	6	14			
New or Expanded Onstream Storage	6	5	1	2	2	4	2.93	2	18			
Actions: -Construct new storage facilities south of the Delta	5	4	2	1	4	4	3.13	4	16			
-Construct new storage facilities north of the Delta	5	5	1	1	5	3	3.00	3	17			
-Enlarge existing onstream storage reservoirs	5	0	2	3	5	5	3.87	3	17			
-Modify operations of existing onstream reservoirs	4	3	3	2	2	6	3.31	8	12			
New or Expanded Offstream Storage	6	1	4	2	1	6	3.50	1	19			
Actions: -Construct new storage facilities south of the Delta	5	3	3	2	3	4	3.13	3	17			
-Construct new storage facilities north of the Delta	4	2	4	5	3	2	2.94	4	16			
-Construct new storage facilities in Delta	6	3	2	2	2	5	3.29	1	19			
-Enlarge existing offstream storage reservoirs	7	0	2	3	3	5	3.85	0	20			
-Modify operations of existing offstream reservoirs	3	0	0	3	5	9	4.35	11	9			
Groundwater Banking and Conjunctive Use	5	0	0	4	4	7	4.20	5	15			
Actions: -Establish incentives for conjunctive use	6	0	1	4	2	7	4.07	6	14			
-Modify Water Code to encourage conjunctive use												

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Actions: -Establish procedures for allocation of export capacity															8	0	1	8	2	1	3.25	0	20
-Establish institution to allocate export capacity															8	2	4	5	0	1	2.50	0	20
-Coordinate water transfers and export capacity															8	0	1	6	3	2	3.50	1	19
-Market export capacity for environmental benefits															8	2	1	8	1	0	2.67	0	20
Integration of Land Use and Water Supply Planning															4	1	1	5	3	6	3.75	7	13
Actions: -Coordinate land uses with water supplies															8	1	1	3	4	3	3.58	2	18
-Encourage local determination of supplies available															7	1	1	4	3	4	3.62	5	15
-Encourage local assessment of water supply reliability															7	1	2	3	2	5	3.62	5	15
Action Categories for Managing Water Quality															7	3	4	2	1	3	2.77	2	18
Installation and Operation of Flow Barriers															7	2	4	2	1	4	3.08	1	19
Actions: -Install flow barriers to manage south Delta quality															8	2	4	3	2	1	2.67	0	20
-Install weirs to control salinity intrusion															5	0	2	1	1	11	4.40	10	10
Management of Agricultural Drainage															5	1	2	1	2	9	4.07	4	16
Actions: -Implement source control regulations for pollutants															5	2	0	2	3	8	4.00	5	15
-Implement pollutant-load limits in San Joaquin River															5	1	1	2	3	8	4.07	4	16
-Reduce or control volume of agricultural discharges															5	2	3	1	4	5	3.47	3	17
-Modify cropping and irrigation practices															6	8	4	0	1	1	1.79	0	20
-Export agricultural drainage to other watersheds															5	0	3	0	6	6	4.00	5	15
-Retire lands with drainage disposal problems															5	2	1	3	7	2	3.40	2	18
-Improve pest-control practices															6	2	0	3	6	3	3.57	2	18
-Avoid use of high-salinity irrigation water															6	0	2	4	4	4	3.71	2	18
-Manage irrigation tailwater to reduce pesticides															8	2	1	2	3	4	3.50	3	17
-Manage drainage timing to reduce instream impacts															8	1	1	4	3	3	3.50	2	18
-Treat drainage to remove salt or other pollutants															7	5	2	3	3	0	2.31	0	20
-Dilute pollutants in Delta inflows from SJR using stored water															5	0	1	3	6	5	4.00	8	12
Management of Urban/Industrial Drainage and Wastewater Discharge															5	1	2	4	3	5	3.60	3	17
Actions: -Retain and manage stormwater runoff															4	3	0	4	3	6	3.56	3	17
-Implement urban awareness/education programs															5	2	4	2	2	5	3.27	3	17
-Treat discharges to remove problem constituents															6	1	3	4	3	3	3.29	4	16
-Construct wetlands to treat wastewater effluent															8	0	3	6	1	2	3.17	3	17
-Increase key nutrient inputs to estuary															4	0	2	3	3	8	4.06	5	15
-Enforce wastewater discharge requirements															4	0	0	1	5	10	4.56	7	13
-Prevent toxic discharges from industrial plants															6	0	2	5	5	2	3.50	6	14
Dredged Material Management															9	0	4	4	3	0	2.91	0	20
Actions: -Limit dredging to slack tides															8	0	0	5	5	2	3.75	4	16
-Limit dredging to avoid fish migration periods															8	0	3	3	3	3	3.50	2	18
-Use techniques to localize sediment movement															8	1	1	4	4	2	3.42	4	16
-Dispose dredged materials at nonaquatic or other suitable sites															8	0	1	6	1	4	3.67	2	18
-Remove contaminated sediments in critical habitat sites															6	0	2	2	4	6	4.00	3	17
-Ensure material used for levee maintenance is noncontaminated															5	0	3	2	1	9	4.07	9	11
Management of Abandoned-Mine Drainage															7	0	3	2	1	7	3.92	4	16
Actions: -Manage discharges from abandoned mines															8	0	3	0	3	6	4.00	4	16
-Remediate abandoned mining sites discharging pollutants															3	0	0	4	7	6	4.12	12	8
Action Categories for Improving System Reliability															6	0	1	1	7	5	4.14	6	14
Levee Maintenance and Stabilization															7	1	0	5	1	6	3.85	4	16
Actions: -Maintain and stabilize existing levees															9	0	0	3	5	3	4.00	1	19
-Modify agricultural practices to reduce subsidence																							
-Use infilling to correct past subsidence																							

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-Establish conjunctive use programs													
-Store groundwater south of the Delta													
-Store groundwater north of the Delta													
-Implement techniques to increase groundwater recharge													
Improvement of Through-Delta Conveyance													
Actions: -Increase capacities of existing east-side channels													
-Increase flows from the Sacramento River to the central Delta													
-Modify Delta levees to increase flow cross sections													
-Construct pump/siphon systems between Delta channels													
-Expand existing intakes at the Delta export facilities													
-Construct expanded export intake/forebay pumping system													
Construction and Improvement of Conveyance Facilities													
Actions: -Construct east-side isolated transfer system													
-Construct west-side isolated transfer system													
-Construct small isolated transfer facility													
-Convert Delta islands to storage/conveyance system													
-Construct conveyance to offstream storage													
-Construct conveyance to groundwater storage													
Changes in Locations of Diversions													
Actions: -Relocate Delta export pumps from key habitats													
-Relocate other in-Delta diversions for more reliable supplies													
-Consolidate in-Delta agricultural diversions													
-Relocate upstream diversions from key habitats													
-Improve diversion designs when relocating													
Action Categories to Increase Supply Predictability													
Water Transfers													
Actions: -Modify Water Code to ease transfers													
-Improve procedures for transfer permitting													
-Coordinate diversion and conveyance of transfers													
Long-Term Planning for Drought Contingencies													
Actions: -Increase water storage capacities at user locations													
-Establish incentives for long-term planning													
-Conduct Integrated Resources Planning													
-Establish incentives for long-term conservation													
-Develop alternate supplies for drought situations													
Water Resources Data and Information Management													
Actions: -Establish a comprehensive water data system													
-Implement real-time data management system													
-Integrate data for adaptive management decisions													
-Establish accessible data management system													
Establishment of Institution for Integrated Long-Term Water Management													
Actions: -Establish long-term guarantees for management													
-Establish institution to implement guarantees													
-Coordinate multiagency roles in management													
-Coordinate groundwater and surface water management													
-Establish incentives for cooperation/coordination													
-Establish a public awareness and education program													
Establishment of Export Capacity Market													

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